IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 2341

Yoshiko TAKAYAMA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005 0740A

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated April 13, 2009, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached petition, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.